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SATURDAY DECEMBER 30, 1922.

The Evil of the Mask.

It is reported from Atlanta that all Caucasians and welcome Roman Catholics. White supremacy, acprincipal object of the Klan.

Klan is having a change of heart, German indebtedness. even if it is only a 50 per cent. change. But it is likely that the Catholics, if they pay any attention to the Imperial Giant's new attitude toward them, will decline his invitation without thanks.

Nor will the Klan, even if it should go further and abandon racial antagonism, be considered a proper organization until it has discarded public disguise.

The United States has no place in its heart for masked men. It does not want its Catholics in hoods, its Protestants in hoods or its Jews in hoods. It does not want masked

seen to it that no two are alike. He deeds and blame for his bad ones.

most strongly iff the Klan is the dom of its policy has been consistopportunity it holds out to criminals ently denied, it can take no useful

If you wish to know whether a are overwhelmingly non-Turkish and to commit wrong in the name of part.

for every evildoer who chose to ex- of what is just.

vealing his identity. of to-day have a lesson to learn from meeting. Mussolini may, unhappily, the Mer Rouge murders. DANIELS be right in thinking that no good and RICHARDS were killed by a will come of it, but it is difficult to hooded and robed mob. Was this believe that either Italy or Belgium this city its forty-fourth annual conmob composed of genuine Klansmen? can afford or desire lightly to dis- vention, listened at its first session If it was then the Klan is under cuss the proposals credited to Bonar to a delegate from Boston who dissuspicion as an organization that LAW, the rejection of which might cussed "Song Sharks and Their Vicpromotes murder. And if the mob lead Britain to withdraw more and tims." The swindle he described was not composed of Klansmen but more from the continental political long ago laid bare, but it seems to only of ruffians disguised as Klans- tangle and to diminish its cooperamen the case is ample proof that the tion in the solution of continental Klan costume makes the way of the economic troubles. mob and the murderer easy.

There is only one proper instrument of fustice in this country and that is the law. There is not a at Herrin thought they would be able to the publishers. safe from retribution, the machine

These offenses appear particularly that agreed to supply music to any helinous in the case of college proverses and guaranteed the publicaof the law was not stopped. masqueraders.

Jersey Justice at Its Best.

was missing and search for her professor.

ancommon brutality.

der examination and, faced by the their books were. evidence that had been collected, he

will not be long delayed.

oldnight.

Grace 585 West delayed, whether the delay is caused men who would be more capable of Tel. 9008 Wadsworth. Open until by bungling police work, by a faulty stimulating popular interest in their TH St. OFFICE-Connex 16th St. and code or by sloth in the office of the studies, if they had enjoyed the adprosecutor, brings the machinery of vantages of this system. night.
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10866 Melrome. Open until 10 P. M. striking and praiseworthy example of "Jersey justice."

BONAR LAW at the meeting of week. If these reports are corsolving the reparations problem— that would be too much to expect— that arouses the bull's interest.

Britain has had much experience in dealing with the Oriental mind and has probably rightly come to the will at least put forward a plan for discussion and state the case clearly for the world to judge.

appeared inevitable. It has become urgent that at the Paris conference cious bull? "Like a red rag to a compromise should give way to de- bull" is a simile which science now cision and that a fair trial should puts in the discard. Next we shall be given either to the French or to bear that bulls in china shops are It is cheering to hear that the the British system of dealing with particularly docile.

France, while still upholding an man territory.

white men, masked black men or try can be expected to work cheer- 2.138,000 at the 1920 census. The templating almost with cheerfulness masked yellow men. It wants to see fully for freedom from debt if its odd six millions of aliens must be the prospect of unchaining war again the face of every man when he goes liabilities are maintained above its women and minors. capacity to pay. If reports from There are nearly two billion faces London are correct Boxar Law will adult aliens of both sexes now within the jingoism of Angora and the propin the world, but the Almighty has propose a reduction of reparations to our gates there are 70,000 so-called aganda of the Turkish spokesmen at has made it possible for every man fair maximum amount—and the the Government would have to comb believing that such an attitude is to be individual and identified, for granting of a moratorium to Ger- the entire population to find them, seriously meant. every man to have credit for his good many. He will also indicate that Would the result justify the expense if after Germany has had a fair of such an investigation? The Klan's hoods and robes are chance to show its good will in

The earliest years of the Ku Klux strengthen the impression of the stack. That is the course which again. Mosul is therefore undeniably of the American people that Britain is doing should be pursued in our immigra dangers of disguise. The Klan was its utmost to view a vast and intriorganized by well meaning men for cate problem not with the restricted done abroad rather than at Ellis would be the height of folly. the protection of homes in sev-vision of immediate national profit Island. Let our agents in Europe find eral Southern States during recon-struction. Within two years the hood of the Klansman was a shield sense of what is practical as well as he intends to be a producer on the

He could kill or steal without re- Premier THEUNIS of Belgium are re- mand a peddler's license. ealing his identity.

The men of good intent in the Klan much more interest in the Paris

Professors as Authors.

State, a county or a township where informed of their shortcomings as the finished product for which he has wrong cannot be righted and crime authors by several publishing men supplied the music. Just what kind punished by the properly constituted at the convention of the Modern Lan- of music this may be and how easily authorities. America needs no un- guage Association of America in 4t is turned out by any hack of suffiofficial tribunals of justice. The Philadelphia. They have been told cient experience's shown by the copyemergencies that brought the Vigi- they cannot spell, that they write in- righting at Washington during one Instea into being in California and effective sentences and loose jointed year by a single such composer of raised the original Ku Klux Klan in paragraphs, that they do not present 1,948 songs. A Chicago composer in the South cannot exist to-day. Even their manuscripts in acceptable form, the same period wrote the music for in southern Illinois, where the beasts and that on the whole very few of 1,676 sets of words which had been who killed the twenty unarmed men them can write in a manner accept- sent in by his victims. Both men

This is a nation of men, not of fessors, but the reason is not far tion of the result. to seek. In nearly all schools and colleges of this country the art the composers of popular songs, of composition is taught by itself, praise of the verses submitted by the not in association with other sub- victim and the agreement to put When CHARLES F. BRIGHAM of jects in the curriculum. The eco-them into the form necessary Orange, New Jersey, returned to his nomics professor, the history profess sale on the market persuade the home from his office in New York sor, the professor of philosophy does city late on Wednesday afternoon not concern himself about the manhis wife did not welcome him. as ner in which a paper in his course copies by some agency of the origiwas her custom. After inquiring is written, provided it is intelligible nal swindlers, which are of course about her among the family's friends and records the student's grasp of never sold and which in no way in the neighborhood Mr. BRIGHAM the subject. Correct, fluent English constitute a publication of the song informed the Orange police that she is the special concern of the English in the business meaning of that term.

At 9:30 in the evening her body acquire the habit of good writing, the victim has no redress for the was found in a preserve closet in the He is put through an exercise in his loss of his money. cellar of her home; she had been English course which he is not re- Once the use of the mails in

The policemen in charge of the nomics or history and later becomes The incident, however, made little or case, by careful and intensive work, a teacher in one of those subjects. no impression on the confiding audiscovered in the house several clews He will not trouble himself any more thors of verses. They still read that resulted in the detention of about the English used by students about the great profits of successful WILLIAM E. BATTLES on suspicion of in his classes than his own profes-being the slayer of Mrs. BRIGHAM. sors troubled themselves about his verses and pay their money. And So well had the police done their English, and the books he writes will they still have only a few poorly work that Battles broke down un- not be put together any better than printed copies of their rimes and the

Some educators in the United their investment. confessed that he had killed Mrs. States have recognized the advan- No wonder the music teachers distages of the Oxford University sys- cuss this manifestation of human Two hours after he had confessed tem, which requires the tutor to 30 gullibility in their convention and the BATTLES was indicted by the Essex over with his students the form in Music Industries Chamber of Com-County Grand Jury and his trial was which their papers are written, not merce as well sends out its warnings set for Thursday of next week. merely when they are exercises in periodically. Criminal trials move swiftly in New English literature but when they Jersey; the verdict of the petit jury deal with any subject in their course

of study. The essence of effective administration of justice is speed. Justice late professors in the United States.

Psychology of the Bull.

Bonar Law and the Reparations. of California telling the psycholo- to a realization that the policy of Dispatches from London printed gists' convention at Cambridge that firmness he then advocated in dealyesterday outlined the probable red means nothing to a bull. In fact, ing with the Turk is right, even course of action to be taken by in the professor's experiments, the though his alarmist and aggressive allied statesmen in Paris next jects than to red ones and green enraged him as quickly as carmine. It fortunes he ever made. rect, the British Premier, while not is the strangeness of the person or

According to this revelation the

Enrolling the Alien.

probably of value to it in attracting meeting these reduced obligations that there were 70,000 alien crimi- Mosul or to the possession of the a deserved appreciation of one of Amermembers. Many men are grown up the French estimate of German char-nals, hidden anarchists and plain district. Mosul is without doubt rich lea's greatest landscape painters, who boys, exulting in the mysteries of acter is shown to be right he will loafers in the country's population in oil bearing lands, but it is also was one of the first to disguise, ritual and incantation. Nono longer oppose direct action by the
body objects to their indulgence in
French. If this plan is rejected them out. But it does not relish the district; it is, in fact, the granary these so long as the disguises are con- Britain, consulting its dignity and thought of piling bureau upon bu- for the whole of the vast country of fined to the lodge ceremonies. What its interests, will withdraw from a reau and subjecting the whole coun- Mesopotamia, which Great Britain the people of this country object to discussion in which, since the wis-

for every evildoer who chose to ex-ecute private vengeance or robbery.

Premier Mussolini of Italy and farm or in the factory or whether he will drop, off in New York and de-

Traps for Song Writers.

The Music Teachers National Association, which is now holding in have such vitality that no exposure is able to destroy the credulity of its victims.

The song shark gets his victims by advertising for the words of songs, which he agrees to set to music. He College professors have just been guarantees as well the publication of were associated with organizations

Reports of the fortunes earned by It is always possible to say that the Because of this the student does not work did not please the public, and

NEW YORK HERALD murdered under circumstances of quired to apply in his other courses. fraud of this kind landed the head of It may be that he specializes in eco- such an agency in Atlanta prison swindler's prepared tunes to show for

The British Gesture.

the British have informed the Turks These scientists have no mercy turning to Constantinople and the which These scientists have no mercy turning to Constantinopie and the which would be upon the traditions. Here we have old World is again back to the crisis terest that I can see.

LENA M. CHAPMAN. Professor Stratton of the University which led to LLOYD GEORGE's fall and bull paid more attention to white ob- statement of it was the biggest tac-

Britain has had much experience and has probably rightly come to the According to this revelation the conclusion that there is more per- less eyes. matador may as well carry a white suasive eloquence in the mute menflag into the arena to draw the bull's charge. And what becomes of that Iron Duke off Constantinople than the hero from the charge of a feroeffective must be forceful, and in negotiating with the Turk strength and the ability to use it have ever been the clinching argument.

impossible reparations figure, de-clares that the German evasions of all the allens in this country the fanaticism, but the presence of Brit-The other scene is of a ca treaty obligations are such that guar- Secretary of Labor, Mr. Davis, esti- ish fighting ships in strength will the woods, with guns resting against anties must be taken by, at least, the mates the number of undesirable and also serve to remind Angora that in heavy tree trunks and the reds and yeleconomic occupation of further Ger- unfit aliens now here at 70,000. Two the long run Turkey's future in Eu- lows of the flames thrown into the deepquestions at once suggest themselves: rope is dependent upon British sea ening darkness beyond. Britain, while in agreement that How did these 70,000 persons get past power. In reflective moments even who was obliged to earn his living as undertakings have not been honored. Ellis Island? And, if they are unfit Angora must realize how impossible a sign painter when they were sold.

not only in Asia Minor but also Assuming that among the 4,300,000 throughout the Balkans. Despite all a figure just over \$9,000,000,000—a undesirable or unfit men and women. Lausanne we must await acts before

that the break at Lausanne, if break reedle is good or not you examine have a British pledge that they shall Such an attitude will do much to it before you drop it into a hay- not be placed under Turkish rule important, but to make the question exp

Mosul is rather the last straw that may break the Lausanne camer's back. The Turkish delegates, with the threat of the scaffold to welcome to final agreement upon any point. Even the settlement of the status of the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the status of the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the status of the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the status of the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent upon agreement upon agreement upon agreement on protection for the straits is dependent to savor of the treation of the traditions of our forefathers and our Constitution as to savor of the traditions of the strain, which in general a adopt the attitude of a nation that defeated Allies instead of obtaining more each four, and Birmingham and Batt more ach three.

a revision of the treaty of Sèvres. Considering the totals of population appearance of scuttle.

for his publicity, and now entrance tury mark.
to his tomb has been denied the news-

In the Worcester Hills.

Above the torrential rain of morning gelatinous rack is flung across the sky like amorphous fringed sea creatures, e swiri of the northward storm current.

The hill slopes, flecked with surviving relics of snow on the deluged fields, merge their crests into the brooding mists, the forest tops sway like pliant

But at noon a revolution is incited, dynasty is dethroned, Leaving a cold and golden splendor of

sun to rule the emancipated dostill ranges the slopes, but with lessening vehemence. And the western highlands are incisively

sienna, that kindles above to warmer tones of grape purple

Extend the Holidays.

A Week Instead of a Day Proposed for Christmas Festivities. To THE NEW YORK HERALD: "Re-

The above was a topic of debate in the good old college days. there are meddlesome, not to say illnatured, people who are trying to do

away with our holidays, including

In the Middle Ages the Christmas va cation and rollicking festivities extended, they were paid for in money or personal over a period of a couple of weeks, political aid, the Government decided to Who would not wish to live in times like name a committee of the Privy Council to prevent Jack from becoming a dull boy. And nowadays when Jack knows scarcely anything but hard work no Year's political honors will be postp wonder he becomes morose and hard and in his pitiful blindness strikes out Oriental bargaining has reached its inevitable crisis at Lausanne and distinguish the good from the evil.

Hence arise revolutions.

Let us have more holidays. I propose that they will not even discuss the surrender of Mosul. Ismer Pasha, who generally has shown himself amenable to reason, has taken a stubborn attitude under instructions from Angora. British warships are returning to Constantinous and the surrender of the state of the whole week between Christmas ferment of honors for monetary or purely party considerations. Arthur Henderson, Labor leader, issued a statement charging that the committee, although lowe'en, be adopted by the State. And for mercy's sake let people cease clamoring for doing away with Christmas, who might be conveniently and appropriately described as "touts," had failed to would be to no one's real in-

NEW YORK, December 29.

The Snowscape.

Two Examples Done by an Artist Who Worked as a Sign Painter.

To THE NEW YORK HERALD: Your editorial article on the snowscape should open an enchanted land to many heed-

If it was Winslow Homer who painted the winter gem "The Fox and Crows" it may do his admirers' hearts good to Mr. Clarke, the Imperial Giant of the Ku Klux Klan, plans a revision of the purposes and scope of the order to the extent that it will admit

Conference after conference has favorite scene in fiction where the favorite scene in fiction where the favorite scene in fiction where the beroine starts across the field carry-of his Majesty's principal Secretary least, hung in the bar of State for Foreign Affairs at Lau-Johnson's Norwegian restaurant at Wa-One of these pendants, each about 42 by 24 inches, shows a Norwegian hamlet snowbound, under the rays of the early morning sun, when "faint rose, azure, orchid, lavender," enrich an air as clear -British military forces in Con- as any that Teniers painted, and glorify stantinople would require naval back- the wheel ruts, siled tracks and footstantinople would require naval back-ing in the event of a breakdown at long shadows of the houses and trees

The other scene is of a campfire is

Both were painted by a trained artist believes that the delays and failures or undesirable, does Secretary Davis it would be for the ill equipped and Among snow painters Operti, trained of Germany are on the whole not so believe that they would step up and exhausted Nationalist forces to seek scenic artist and artist of Peary's earlimuch due to sullen ill will as to the moral depression caused by the fantastic burden put by the treaty upon generation after generation. No upon generation after generation. No States. But the number of alien defeated the Greeks that, according to the late Henry Watterson could have upon generation after generation. No States. But the number of alien defeated the Greeks that, according to the late Henry Watterson could have individual, no corporation, no counmales over the age of 21 was only reports from Lausanne, they are controlly you that snow in certain wines may

properly plugged watermelon REMBRANDT W. B. DITMARS.

Redfield's Subtle Art.

To THE NEW YORK HERALD: That was a very timely and pleasing editorial, article on the snowscape, and the mening the beauties of snow, with its elu-If THE NEW YORK HERALD thought there be, will be due to the oil of sive charm and its tonal harmonies, was translate to us this exquisite and subtle

LYNBROOK, December 29.

Long Life in the South.

Mexico Reported to Excel Other Countries in Centenarians.

To THE NEW YORK HERALD: To atimportant, but to make the question expectancies of life. But that of war dependent upon its possession would be the height of folly.

And the passing the century mark is little and so subversive of the traditions of the traditi

minorities, capitulations and debts. narians die that year, Philadelphia ten, On all these points the Turks remain Memphia nine, Houston eight, Detroit intractable. They would seem to seven, St. Louis six, Chicago five, San adopt the attitude of a nation that ington, Indianapolis and Los Angeles is dictating terms of peace to the each four, and Birmingham and Balti-

The prestige of the Western Powers has suffered too much already for them to be able to afford a further them to be able to afford a further buffalo, Pittsburgh, Syracuse, Newark, Milwaukee, Providence and even classic TUT-ANKHAMEN waited 4,000 years but one citizen who had passed the cen-

The landlord who has been sent to should have made a showing of 310 jail for ninety days because he did centenarians instead of fifteen. The inference seems to be that the chances of living more than 100 years are improved about twentyfold by dwelling in a mild climate and with less general excitement and habitual worry than prevail in New York, Boston, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Buffalo and other cold winter cities where life is at high tension, with the very air pulsing to commercial with the very air pulsing to commercial constant of the content and the United States Department of Agriculture Bulletie. A rodent drive in Hat Creek community. Niobrara county, Wyoming, recently resulted in about half the cooperators ridding their mala, and the next day went by rail to Guatemala City. The ride from the constant of the constant of the constant of the Community of the Department of Agriculture Bulletie. From the Department of Agriculture Bulletie. A rodent drive in Hat Creek community. Niobrara county, Wyoming, recently resulted in about half the cooperators ridding their mala, and the next day went by rail to Guatemala City. The ride from the constant of the United States Department of Agriculture Bulletie. From the Department of Ag have one consoling thought: he will of living more than 100 years are imply this winter.

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large ratio of one in every 17,090, perhaps not exceeded by any other country
on the globe, probably is due to the
mild highland climate and the easygoing
habits of the great generality of the
recole with their customs of an attention of the globe and the corozo or cohune palms and tree ferns,
much interrupted, however, by vast plantations of bananas.

At Gualan begins the Zacapa Desert,
labor was donated by interested residents. people, with their custom of an after a region strongly suggestive of Sonora. Iunch nap or siesta. Archie Ricz. Mexico, with an almost equal abun-BAYRIDE, December 29.

Increase in Corn Experts.

From Department of Agriculture Bulletin. Exports of corn from the United States for the first eight months of 1922 exceeded the exports for the entire year 1921 by 2,488,743 bushels, according to figures compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture. The total exports for 1921 were 128,974,505 bushels and for the first eight months of 1922 all,463,248 bushels. These figures do not highly and for the first eight months of 1922 all,463,248 bushels. These figures do not highly and for the first eight months of 1922 all,463,248 bushels. These figures do not highly and corn—were exponentially the figures of which 452,766 bushels have corn—were exponentially the first eight months of 1922 all,463,248 bushels. These figures do not highly and corn—were exponentially the figures of which 452,766 bushels and corn little natural vegetation is left in the Deep within my heart I knew Were love Love he had not gone. flour of which 432,766 harrels—the equiva-lent of 1,811,064 bushels of corn—were ex-ported during the first eight months of 1922, most interesting. Although much sugar

England to Reform Grants of Titles

Privy Council Commission to Pass on Those Selected-Charges of 'Purchases' Investigated.

LONDON, Dec. 29 (Associated Press). Lord Dunedin, chairman: the Duke of Acting immediately to-day on the re--Acting immediately to-day on the report of the Royal Commission on Honors, which investigated the methods of granting titles, following charges that

rested by the commission. The announcement of the usual list of New until this committee decides whether "fit and proper" candidates have been The Royal Commission made recom-

mendations designed to prevent the conately described as "touts," had failed to call them as witnesses. He insisted the committee's recommendations did not really go far in the direction of reform, because the Prime Minister still prac tically controlled the conferment of

First, that a committee of the Privy

Young Love.

from me And all you granite bowlders, hide You little leaves, that so mysteriously

And lock your lips! A secret has been

You are too curious! I am afraid

must run back to houses in a row Stiff, proper structures-they will help

you know

Lie still, my secret, still-the very air

HELEN FRAZEE-BOWER.

tempt to destroy our Government that a party be formed in opposition to the teachings and objects of the Workers representing distinct species, and it is party, to be called the American party, with the Stars and Stripes as its emblem and the Constitution of the United States as its platform.

Paul C. Standley in Journal of the New York

dance of treelike cacti, and beyond the desert are hills, arid at first, but becoming higher and more moist until in the vicinity of Guatemala City, where the climate is always coel or even chilly,

out exercise and on full rations was made yesterday by the American So-clety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Diminishing north shifting to east clety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Overfeeding and lack of ex-Overfeeding and tack of ex- winds. ercise during a period of idleness causes a serious disease known as "azoturia,"

MRS. FRASIER GUEST AT 'POET'S AFTERNOON.'

Turn back your faces, hills, turn back highest volcanoes, involving an almost Whisper your nothings in the

Upon my heart. O wind, stand by,

swift cry!

Is waiting to betray you. Heart, be-

For an American Party. Call for Organization to Oppose the

Teachings of the Reds.

EDWARD K. COWING. New York, December 29.

Plants of Central America.

Botonical Gardes.

The botanical exploration in Central
America in 1921 and 1922 was made pos-At the Southern ratio of cemenarian dying in one year in Memphis, which has only 162,090 people, New York city sible by the cooperation of the Gray Herbarium of Harvard University, the Herbarium of Harvard University, the

Pittsburgh, Buffalo and other cold winter cities where life is at high tension, with the very air pulsing to commercial hurry and economic anxieties.

In Mexico, which now has 17,000,000 livening centenarians, and that amazingly large ratio of one in every 17,000, personal personal

ercise during a period of ideness causes a serious disease known as "azoturia," a spinal trouble.

On December 26, after Christmas and Sunday, the society received thirty requests to furnish ambulance service to horses suffering from azoturia, it was announced. In addition agents of the society were called upon to destroy a number of other animals that were stricken beyond recovery. number of other anima stricken beyond recovery.

Mrs. Lewis B. Woodruff En-

cane, corn, rice and other crops are cultivated, the most important agricul-tural product is coffee, and coffee fincas extend sometimes to the summits of the

complete destruction of the natural Salvador is the most densely popu lated country of the Western Hemisphere, excepting perhaps Haiti, and there is little unimproved land in the

central and western portions. The collections obtained in Salvador consist of 4,600 numbers, represented by about 15,000 specimens, practically all being ferns and phanerogams. these must be added a collection al-ready including 1,200 numbers, and still Direction de Agricultura. Previously almost nothing was known of the flora of Salvador, but when the present col-lections have been studied we shall have probably quite as comprehensive a knowledge of the flora of that coun-

try as we already have of those of The north coast of Guatemala has probably because of a belief that all the plants found at such a low altitude must be common and widely distributed spe-

numbers were obtained there, nearly all likely that almost as many more occur out collecting I found nearly as many new plants as on the first day. I have never seen a region equally varied in its plant life, and the number of shrubby plants is especially remarkable.

The last place at which I collected be fore leaving Central America was Puerto American Explorations in San Sal- Barrios, on the Guatemalan coast, where vador and Guatemala.

About ten days were spant. The flora there is similar to that of Quirigua, but many additional species were obtained some of them being of more than usual interest. Over 500 numbers were secured here.

A Missourian's Lost Time

ELIBARETH SCOLLARD.

Daily Calendar

THE WEATHER.

For Eastern New York—Fair, with slowly rising temperature to-day; to-morrow, unsettled and warmer, probably rain or snow. Diminishing north shifting to east and southeast winds.

For New Jersey—Partly cloudy with slowly rising temperature to-day; to-morrow, unsettled and warmer, probably rain in south and rain or snow in north portion. Diminishing north, shifting to east winds.

For Northern New York—Fair, with slowly rising temperature to-day; to-morrow, unsettled and warmer, probably rain or snow in north portion. Diminishing north, shifting to east winds.

For Northern New England—Fair to-day, probably followed by snow to-morrow, rising temperature to-morrow and in Vermont to-morrow. Diminishing north shifting to east winds.

For Southern New England—Fair with slowly rising temperature to-day; to-morrow unsettled and warmer, probably rain or snow. Diminishing with north shifting to east winds.

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For Southeast winds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The coast storm has continued to move East-northeastward and its center was some distance southeast of Nova Scotia tonight. The strong northeast and north

central over Nebraska to-night and moving east-northeastward.

Precipitation has occurred within the last twenty-four hours in the middle Atlantic and the north Atlantic States, portions of the northern lake region and over middle and northern sections. Temperature has fallen in the Atlantic States.

Fair weather will prevail almost generally to-morrow in the Atlantic and

The committee's recommendations include:

If First, that a committee of the Privy Council, to consist of not more than three members, be appointed, the persons selected not to be members of the did Government but to serve for the duration of the Government's tenure of office. The committee's secretary would be a member of the civil service.

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Highest temperature, 24 at 3:15 P. M. Lowest temperature, 17 at 8:30 P. M. Average temperature, 20.

EVENTS TO-DAY. Chester C. Platt, secretary of the Wiscon-ein Nonpartisan League, will address the Single Tax Forum on "Tax Reform Move-nents in Wisconsin," 201 West Thirteenth street, 8:30 P. M.

Omicron Alpha Tau Fraternity convention, belmonico's, 9:30 P. M. The Toy Shop" at the Neighborhood Play-

Supper dance of the Beta Sigma Rho Fra-ernity, Commodore, 10 P. M. Dinner to Judge Robert S. Johnstone, Hotel

Marquette Club, Yuletide dance, Hotel MAYOR NAMES WALLIS TO SUCCEED HAMILTON

New Year's Costume Ball, Gole Club, 14

Former Immigration Chief Corrections Commissioner.

Mayor Hylan yesterday formally announced the appointment of Frederick A. Wallis, former Immigration Commissioner as Commissioner of Corrections at \$10,000 a year to succeed James A. Hamilton. Secretary of State-elect, on

Hamilton. Secretary of State-elect, on January 1.

The Mayor also announced the appointment of Edward Swann, former District Attorney, as trustee of Hunter College, succeeding William G. Willcox, whose term expired last July. There is no salary attached to this office.

TELLS HYLAN TO IGNORE SUPREME COURT RULING **Dunningham Pleads for Buses**

to Give Service.

Mayor Hylan has been urged to ignore a recent injunction of the Su-preme Court against the operation of municipal buses on certain routes in Queens and to establish a service be-tween Flushing and Long Island City. Jabez Dunningham, executive secre-tary of the Community Councils of New York/City, suggests that the Mayor could do this on the ground that a real could do this on the ground that a real transpertation emergency exists. It has pointed out that at the Woodslo-car barns, where about 15,000 passon-gers change cars every day, there are long walts between connections, during which the passengers are without shel-ter regardless of the state of the weather.

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